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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

John G. McDonough

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Responsive to the Office Action dated May 27, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.